House Resolution No. 3768

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives wholeheartedly believe that a successful marriage forms a firm foundation for a lifetime of happiness and security and wish to salute an outstanding Missouri couple whose union confirms that philosophy; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Luke, treasured residents of Stanberry, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary on June 26, 2005, with a festive celebration to be held at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Stanberry; and

Whereas, joined in marriage before the eyes of the Lord on June 25, 1955, Hubert E. Luke and Beatrice M. Schwebach began their lives together as husband and wife after a memorable wedding ceremony at Immaculate Conception Basilica in Conception; and

Whereas, since that happy day, Hubert and Beatrice Luke have witnessed with pleasure the growth of their mutual trust and understanding, qualities which continue to endear them to one another with each passing year; and

Whereas, a proud father and caring husband, Mr. Luke dutifully served his country in the United States Army and provided a safe and secure future for his loved ones through many years of tireless endeavor as a farmer while somehow finding the time and energy for affiliation with the American Legion and the Knights of Columbus; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Mrs. Luke enjoyed her family immensely and further distinguished herself as a teller at Farmers State Bank and member of St. Ann's Altar Society; and

Whereas, devout members of St. Peter's Catholic Church who greatly enjoy attending the school events of their grandchildren, Hubert and Beatrice Luke attribute their fifty years of wedded success and happiness to their strong sense of faith and family, the foundation upon which they have planted the seeds of their love and respect for each other in the generations to follow which include their eight children, Steve, Jim, Kenny, Rose, David, Robert, Randy, and Donald; and their twenty-eight grandchildren:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in a thunderous round of applause for Hubert and Beatrice Luke upon the glorious celebration of their Golden Wedding Anniversary, and in wishing them much peace and contentment as they proudly continue their journey along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Luke.

Offered by	
]	Representative Brad Lager
]	District No. 4

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3768, adopted June 15, 2005.